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Ode to Lawyers. The devil came to earth one day, And unto a court house wended his way, Just as an attorney with a very grave face

Was proceeding to argue the points in a

Why none had been sent to the regions

8 too calt of his agents, his majesty And for his own pleasure he had a desire

grave, Made out his opponent a consummate knave And the old devil was muchly amused To hear the attorney so greatly abused. As soon as the speaker had come to a close,

Well, the lawver who rose with visage

The counsel opposing them fiercely arose, And heaped such abuse on the head of the As made him a villian of all men the worst.

Thus they quarreled, contended, and argued that a patriarchal banquet does not who would be good wives were they "a baby!" Twas hard to determine the one that was And concluding held heard quite enough of the 'fuss, Old Nick turned away and soliloquized thus times, whence a family is to arise, should and graces are so to be envied as those "It all they have said of each other be true;

I'm satisfied now, tis all very well, These awyers would ruin the morals of They are puzzled the court with villian-And I'm free to confess, they have puzzled

My a ents are right to let the lawyers ; If I had them they'd swindle n.e out of my

Bridal Tours.

Times in censure of "Bridal Tours," ing ceremony has the honor to be of a pointing out not only the absurdity of most ancient date, and to have extendthe fashionable practice of wedding ed its reign equally over all nations of newly wed led couple that often arises historically, back as far as the terminafrom them. "Looking at the custom," tion of the Siege of Troy; for we read : he says, "from an æsthetic and senti . Upon the return of the Grecian warmental point of view, nothing can be riors, their wives met them, and joined more repulsive. An American mar- their lips together with joy." In the ri ge is, in theory, a leve-match; and book of Genesis we read that "Jacob two persons in love want to see as much | earliest record which we have of the us possible of each other, and as little love kiss, although it is to be hoped that as possible of other people. It is true, the world was not without this delicious we find exceptions; there are individ- fuxury from the Creation down to that uals whose disceased vanity desires to period. Long ago our old mother, give publicity to every act of their life. England, was celebrated for its kisses. this abourd custom forces a new-mar heart of an Erasmus. And we know nel couple either to put an unua ural that Vortigern resigned h s kingdom, restraint on their legitimate affection, and Mark Authory the world, for a Branch, Rives & Co.;
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The first of the public. Now in the common subject, in which he describes himself as having dreamed that he was pursuable to the public of the public o BAGS FURNISHED FOR GRAIN. o'view, the fashion is equally objecting a beautiful damsel for a kiss and, 6m tonable. It is notorious that nothing unhapplily, waked a moment too soon: except marriage itself tries the temper

quality on which the happiness of that union principally depends, is put to the rudest strain. The happy couple expose themselves to the insolence of of rail and hotel, irregular hours, and uncertain meals. The Irishman in the

rate they are necessary for some days. "He has an immense personality ; the Not only her health for the rest of her awful incarnation of self. He is running mortal existence, but the health and this government without principles on strength of her offspring may be, and the theory of personal success. He must grower. often are, materially affected by the be a big man; for whoever saw a conwant of proper care at this time. In firmed drunkard and borrower raise stead of which the bridal tour piles himself up late in life unless he has on additional excitement and fatigue, left some strong human elements for makes regularity of life impossible-in capital. His government is not comshort, involves the exact reverse of all prehensible, not intellectual-only that the rules of health and physiolo- personal. The American people are in "At peril of being thought effemin. character then they would be from calm, though not so necessary, are high | ing that period of political complacency informs us he had from Tartini himself. ly desirable. It is constantly happens, and indifference, as a people, which

indisposition, which passed unnoticed quite proper and natural. al headache, which, however, mny be Grant himself."-Exchange. premonitory symtoms of typhoid fever. If you take typhoid in time, there is fatal. Last year two cases came under D. Warner:

The Tarboro' Southerner, things worse than death to happen- mechanic, such a mathematician, such insanity, temporary or permanent, a poet he would he, if he were only brought on by the extra fatigue and sober; and then he is sure to be the

These comments by Carl Benson re- soul, conscientiously honorable, if he to produce coolness. call similar censures uttered by Victor were not so conscientiously drunk. Hugo in "Les Miserables," in the des I suppose it is now notorious that the dates for President and Vice Pre ident are scription of the marriage of Cosette and most brilliant and promising men have in the field; Marius. "The fashion of marriage," been lost to world in this way. It is A Washington man rejoices in a colleche says, "was not, in 1833, what it is some times almost painful to think tien of mnety-fight cats, no two of a to-day. France had not yet borrowed what a surplus of talent and genius color. Now a lawyer his majesty never had seen, from England that supreme delicacy there would be in the world if the from a balloon for a week back. We habit of intoxication should suddenly should think it wouldn't be very good for a week back. We should think it wouldn't be very good for a week back. hiding one's self, ashamed of one's would be for the plodding people who happiness, and of combineing the be- have always had tolerably good habits. exquisite, and decent in joiting one's his reformation.

chamber for a witness henceforth."

Kisses. A Greek author proposed to dip his pen in honey, rose-buds, violets, and all vernal blooms, to write on the subject of kissing, Another-a poet, of course -declared that uo pen could do justice to this delightful business, which had not been dipped in a kiss itself. But Carl Beason has written an eminent- than his pen before setting himself to ly judicious letter to the New-York the task of defining a kiss? This charm

"When, as I thought to snatch a kiss, The vision fled -the sleep of bliss; And left alone, I telt in vain The torturing wish to sleep again."

Not a pleasure in nature is wanting; backmen and clerks, the discomforts May his soul be in heaven (he deserves it, I am sure.)

Who was first the inventor of kissing, song married a wife to make him 'un Master Adam, I verily think was the man, Whose discovery will ne'er be surpassed Well, since t e sweet game with Creation

To the end of the world may it last.

Frank Blair on Grant. The other day I sent a card to

more danger to day from a man of this

A Charitable World.

excitement of the wedding journey." most generous, magnanimous, friendly

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havior of a bankruft with the trans- The fear is only mitigated by the obsports of Solomon's Song. They had ervation that the reputation of a person ot yet learned all that there is chaste, for great talent sometimes ceases with To come to the earth and the reason inquire paradise in a post chaise, in intersect. "It is believed by some that the ing one's mystery with click-clack, in maidens who would make the best tell me, ma, that I was always to take her taking a tavera bed for a nuptial bed, wives never marry, but remain free, part!" and in leaving behind, in the common to bless the world with their impartial alcove of so much a night, the most sa- sweetness and make it generally habered of life's memories pell-mell with itable. This is one of the mysteries of him at his office; where also blind persons the interviews between the diligence. Providence and New England life. conductor and the servant-girl of the It seems a pity, at first sight, that all tavern. . . . 'Twas still imagined those who become poor wives have the

in that day, strange to tell, that a mar- matrimonial chance, and that they are creeps, and being asked the name of one riage is an intimate and social festival; deprived of the reputation of thosa on examination day, promptly answered spoil a domestic solemeity; that gayety, not set apart for the high and perpetuel even excessive, provided it be seemly, office of priestesses of society. There the first woman, who as a notary public, does no harm to happiness; and, final- is no beauty like that which was spoiled ly, that the fusion of these two des by ar accident, no accomplishments commence in the house, and that the that circumstances rudely hindered the The devil has surely been robbed of his due; bousehold should have the nuptial development of. All of which shows sixteen. 'At least the boys have a habit what a charitable and good tempered of applying them to their lips in scaling world it is, notwithstanding its rep- their vows." utation for synicism and detraction.

Important Decisions. Two of the most important decisions

January term 1872, were those of Dellinger vs. Tweed, and Askew vs Sutton In the first case it is held that the did not think so." "And so you would would it not be a more sensible thing Homestead provision holds good think, he answered, "if I did not say against judgments obtained in actions so."

of tort as well as debt. The word tort applies to actions not arising from con an Irishman, whom he observed fishing tracts, where some wrong has been away at a deep pool, "that must be a far vorite stream for trong?" "Faith at. committed or damage done, as in ac- sure is must be that same, for I have been journeys, but the great injury to the the earth. We are able to trace it, assault and battery, and the like. The one of em will come out of ith tion for slander or for damages for standing here this three hours and not provision of the Constitution is that provision of the Constitution is that the Homestead shall hold good against in the bright moonlight one evening. Like all dedts. Under the recent decision, all efficies wives, she was of an exceedingno money can be collected on any judgment for damages to person or and beautiful! "Couldn't think of notice it is generally so in practice. Now, kissed Ruchel;" which is, no doubt, the property, unless the defendant has ingit" returned the editor "for anything more than the Homestead exemption. less than the usual rates -a dollar for ten In the second case, that of Askew lines."

es Sutton and wife, it is held that can sell the land without the consent of his wife, notwithstanding the Act the lands which the husband might two-thirds border," have at any time during marriage. The Act of 1867, and all subsequent Acts | jady of a sailor. "Really, madam, I don't restoring to married women their know." responded Jack (looking at her common law right of dower, are declared elegant apparel,) unless it be that the rigunconstitutional and void, as to mar- ging costs more than the hull?" Another riages consummated prior to the pas-

sing of the Acts .- Raceigh News.

The Cost of Raising Cotton. experience," writing from Cut Off, Ar kansas, says : I will give the average cost of producing cotton on a small "When we dwelt on the lips of the lass we farm; say on a quarter section of land, table. The girl determined to make the where you may find fifty acres in cul- youth express what he appeared so warmtivation worth say, \$1,500 where cot. ly to feel, hore with these advances a little

ton alone is cultivated: Interest on farm at 10 per cent..... \$150,00 45.00 Taxes on farm and stocks...... Annual cost of plows and harness.... Use of 3 head plow mules at \$30 ····· Four laborers at \$20 per month, . . . . Proxisions consumed by same ...... Bedding and bed lothes.

Total expenses.....\$1,875.00 er of cotton gets: Take the average production of the country (uplands) 300 pounds of cetton is a good average. Then from fifty acres we have 15,000 pounds of cotton, at 15 cents net per lb., giving to the grower \$2,250 return, showing a balance in his favor of \$375. you swear that it don't resemble your wri-This estimate is based upon the supposition that the land is owned by the swear your solemn outh, that this writing

The Devil as a Musician. It is generally supposed by many that his satanic majesty is a first question, and not to talk about what he class violinist. The following would seem to prove the assertion :

"IL TRILLO DEL DIAVOLO" ("The you not tell my learned friend so his mo-Devil's Trill,") by Tartini. The following singular anecdete, drive a wagon?" "No sir." "What is contract for and build every where they will always be glad to furnish their ate, I will go farther and say that, for Aaron Burr, or men of much higher which conveys an account of this remission where they will always be glad to furnish their ate, I will go farther and say that, for Aaron Burr, or men of much higher which conveys an account of this remission where they will always be glad to furnish their ate, I will go farther and say that, for Aaron Burr, or men of much higher which conveys an account of this remission. When they will always be glad to furnish their ate, I will go farther and say that, for Aaron Burr, or men of much higher which conveys an account of this remission. the man, too, at this time repose and parts. Under Grant we are approach- arkable composition, Mons. de Lalande "He dreamed one night in the year which the people paid \$500,000,000 during in the case of both sexes, that a slight will make the incoming of a despot 1713, that he had made a compact with the war and has since been paying upthe devil, who promised to be at his wards of 20 000,000 a year. No nation in the hurry of preparation, is aggrava- "Grant cares nothing for party prin- service on all occasions; and during and yet so little of them is to be found that ted to a serious and even fatal extent ciples; he runs the thing for himself the v sion everything succeeded acc even beggarly Spain laughs at us and stand by the excitement, and exposure, and and many of the business interests of ording to his mind; his wishes were ready to annihilate the rampart upon short neglect, consequent on the wedding, the country are so situated that they anticipated and his desires always notice. The property is gone beyond retour. No man, for instance, would can better afford to drop into the line surpassed by the assistance of his new for the detention and conviction of the think of postponing his marriage on of a poweeful president, a prejudices servant. At length he imagined that thieves." account of a slight cold. If he stayed and ambition than to join the mass of he presented to the devil his violin, in An editor whose subscribers were remis quietly at home afterward and took care the people in fighting him. Grant has order to discover what kind of a musi in payment, lately published the tolk wof himself, it would pass away, like committed but one mistake as a pol-other slight colds; he goes off on a brisitician—of course I am talking to you onishment, he heard him play a solo so our readers the trouble of sending their Barber Shop dal tour in the depth of winter, and boys as one politician to another—and singularly beautiful, and executed with subscriptions by post, and to relieve two the malady develops into a chronic that mistake is shaking off the old such superior taste and precision, that debtors, in the course of a few days, two The undersigned takes pleasure in announce pulmonary complaint. Nor would a Abolitionists who has revelutionized it surpassed all the music he ever collectors, one of whom has hardly recoving to the public that he has opened young woman put off her marriage be. the country for the sakh of certain heard in his life. So great was his ed from the small pox, and the other of Entirely New Barber Shop cause she felt a little extra lassitude Swiss like Morton and Cameron, who surprise, and so exquisite his delight whom has just taken the itch." The deand want of appetite with an occasion- never cared for the darkey were than on this occasion, as to deprive him paid their dues promptly. of the power of breathing. He awoke with the excitement of his new sensations, and instantly seized his ins class come up." said our school master. Who was Let's wife?" nothing specially dangerous about it; We find some very pleasant reading trument, in hopes of expressing what "The pillar of salt what Moses laid his care and patience only are necessary, matter in the March number of Ser he had just heard; but in vain. He, head on when the went up to Mount Sinal, and it runs its course. But, if neg ibner, The following extract is made however, then composed a piece, to offer his on Isaac up, as he had no lected at first, it is almost inevitably from "Backlog stories, " by Charles. which is perhaps, the best of all his sheep but himself to do likewise." works, and called it the Devil's Trill; 'What is said of Jonah?' Jonah swallowed a whale, a. q was my observation, the one of a brides "It is a temptation to a temperate but it was so inferior to what his sleep vomeked up the third day within passed of groom dying of typhoid just after a man to become a sot, to hear what talent, had produced, that he declared he seed, which he gave to the queen Sheha wedding trip, which had caused the what versatility, what genous is almost would have broken his violin, and aba- gramin to gram a transfer to the strain to t

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you to eat your little sister's share of the cake-" "Why," said Tommy, "didn't y q sons afflicted with deafness may hear of

may see him daily from tento twelve o'clock. a boy of eight years of of age, having been told that a reptile is an animal that

Laura A. Berry, of Davenport, Iowa, is "swore" a man in Iowa, but not by any means the first who, as a "lively woman,"

made a man swear in that delectale State Jones asks, 'If small girls are waifs are A married lady complained that her

husband had ill used ber. Her father, hearing it, boxed her cars. "Tell him" said the father, "if he beats my daughter made by the Sapreme Court at the I will beat his wife." Rather a plea ant prospect for the lady, "Indeed, you are very handsome," said a gentleman to his lady love. Pooh!

pooh!" said she, "so you would say if you

"Paddy, my boy," said a gentleman to

when a man who owned land had mar- had lately been married. When her husried before the 9th of April 1867, he band came to dinner she said, "I have been to Mrs Simpson's," "Weil," replied the husband, "I suppose she is very hap. Petersburg Va. But these vulgarians are, happily, rare of his wife, notwithstanding the Act by " "llappy? Well, I should think she of April 1867, giving her dower in ought to be: she has a come? she sale of Tobacco, Cotton, and the sale of Tobacco, Cotton, and the

> lady wanted to know why ships were all considered female, was answered that they are not so considered, as for instance mail steamships. A story is told of a rustic youth and a A "cotton grower of forty years buxon country girl who sat facing each other at a husking party. The youth, smitten with the charms of the beautifamatden, only ventured a sly look, and now.

> > while in silence when she cried out: "Local

here, if you love me say so, but don't di: ty my stockings," Two Irishmen, on a sultry night, im no. diately after their arrival in India, took 240,00 refuge under the bed clothes from a skinmishing party of mosquitoes. At last one 20.00 of them, gasping from heat, ventured to the room, Arousing his companion with a punch, he said: "Fergus, Fergus, it's no Now let us see what return the grow- use. You might as well come out. Here's one of the crayters searching for us wid a lantern-

"Sir," said a flerce lawyer, ,'do you on your solemn oath, swear that this is not your handwriting?? "I reckon not' was the reply, "Does it resemble your writing?" "Yes Sir, I think it don't." "Do ting" . Well I do,old block head." "You does not resemble yours in a single let er?" "Y-e-s Sir." "Now how do you know?" "Cause I can't write," A witness in court, who had been cautioned to give a precise answer to every

might think the question meant, was interrogated as follows: "You drive a wagon?" "No sir, I do not." "Why sir, did ment?" "No sir, I did not." "Now sir, The Hartford Post cries out "Lost strayed or stolen, the American navy, for ever spent so much money for ships of war

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and neglected. And I have known man who is habitually drunk. Such a subsisted by any other means.